

## IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel Claims 25-32, without prejudice or disclaimer of subject matter, and amend Claims 1, 4, 5, 7-13, 15-21, 23 and 24 as follows. The following is a complete listing of the claims, and replaces all prior versions and listings of claims in the present application:

Claim 1 (currently amended): An image processing apparatus which can accept and parallelly execute a plurality of jobs, comprising:

a stop key for instructing to stop a job during job execution;

a display unit for displaying a list showing plural jobs including a job in execution and a job waiting execution in response to a depression of said stop key by a user;

a console which allows [[a]] the user to select any of jobs in [[a]] the list displayed on [[a]] said display unit; and

a controller for, when the user instructs to stop cancel a selected job [[by]] using said stop key console, canceling the selected job displaying a list of all jobs which are being executed on the display unit, and stopping a job selected from the list.

Claim 2 (currently amended): The apparatus according to claim 1, wherein when the user instructs to stop a job by depressing said stop key, said controller pauses all jobs which are being executed, displays a list of all the paused jobs on the said display unit, and restarts execution of jobs which are not selected from the list, so as to stop the selected job.

Claim 3 (currently amended): The apparatus according to claim 1, wherein when the user instructs to stop a job by depressing said stop key, said controller checks the number of jobs which are being executed, stops a job if only one job is being executed, displays a list of all jobs which are being executed on the said display unit if a plurality of jobs are being executed, and stops a job selected from the list.

Claim 4 (currently amended): The apparatus according to claim 1, further comprising appending means for appending arbitrary job information to an input job ~~in addition to the identification information~~.

Claim 5 (currently amended): An image processing apparatus which can accept and parallelly execute a plurality of jobs, comprising:

a stop key for instruction to stop a job during job execution;  
a display unit for displaying a list showing plural jobs including a job in execution and job waiting execution in response to a depression of said stop key by a user;  
a discrimination unit for discriminating a currently set stop mode when a user requests to stop a job by depressing said stop key; and  
a controller for stopping a job in accordance with the stop mode discriminated by said discrimination means unit,

wherein said controller cancels a job selected from the plural jobs displayed by said display unit.

Claim 6 (original): The apparatus according to claim 5, wherein when the stop mode is a first mode, said controller stops an image scan job of the plurality of jobs.

Claim 7 (currently amended): The apparatus according to claim 5, further comprising:

a console which allows the user to select any of the jobs in [[a]] the list displayed on [[a]] said display unit, and

wherein when the stop mode is a second mode, said controller stops an image scan job if no jobs other than the image scan job are found, and displays existing jobs on the said display unit and ~~deletes~~ cancels a job selected from the display jobs if print or communication jobs are found.

Claim 8 (currently amended): The apparatus according to claim 5, further comprising:

a console which allows the user to select any of jobs in a list displayed on a display unit, and

wherein when the stop mode is a third mode, if print or communication jobs are found, said controller displays existing jobs on the said display unit, and ~~deletes~~ cancels a job selected from the displayed jobs.

Claim 9 (currently amended): A method of controlling an image processing apparatus which can accept and parallelly execute a plurality of jobs, comprising:

the instruction step of instructing to stop a job during job execution; a display step for displaying a list showing plural jobs including a job in execution and a job waiting execution in response to a depression of a stop key by a user; the display/select a selection step of displaying a list of jobs using identification information of the jobs, and for allowing a user to select any of the jobs displayed in the list displayed in said display step; and the a control step of controlling the display/select step to display a list of all jobs which are being executed for, when the user instructs to stop cancel a selected job in the instruction step, and stopping a job selected from the list in said selection step, canceling the selected job.

Claim 10 (currently amended): The method according to claim 9, wherein the control step includes the step of, when the user instructs to stop a job in the instruction step by depressing the stop key, pausing all jobs which are being executed, controlling execution of the display/select step to display a list of all the paused jobs, and restarting execution of jobs which are not selected from the list, so as to stop the selected job.

Claim 11 (currently amended): The method according to claim 9, wherein the control step includes the step of, when the user instructs to stop a job in the instruction step by depressing the stop key, checking if only one job is being executed, stopping a job if only one job is being executed, controlling execution of the display/select step to display a list of all jobs

which are being executed and stopping a job selected from the list if a plurality of jobs are being executed.

Claim 12 (currently amended): The method according to claim 9, further comprising the appending step of appending arbitrary job information to an input job ~~in addition to the identification information.~~

Claim 13 (currently amended): A method of controlling an image processing apparatus which can accept and parallelly execute a plurality of jobs, comprising:

~~the instruction step of instructing to stop a job during job execution;~~  
~~a display step for displaying a list showing plural jobs including a job in execution and a job waiting execution in response to a depression of a stop key by a user;~~  
~~the a discrimination step of discriminating a currently set stop mode when [[a]] the user requests to stop a job in the instruction step by depressing the stop key; and~~  
~~the a control step of stopping a job in accordance with the stop mode discriminated in the discrimination step,~~

wherein a job selected from the plural jobs displayed in said display step is cancelled in said control step.

Claim 14 (original): The method according to claim 13, wherein the control step includes the step of stopping an image scan job of the plurality of jobs when the stop mode is a first mode.

Claim 15 (currently amended): The method according to claim 13, further comprising:

a selection step of selecting a job in the list displayed in said display step in accordance with a user operation~~the display/select step of displaying a list of jobs using identification information of the jobs, and allowing the user to select any of the jobs displayed in the list, and~~

wherein the control step includes the step of, when the stop mode is a second mode, stopping an image scan job if no jobs other than the image scan job are found, controlling execution of the display/select step to display existing jobs and deleting canceling a job selected from the displayed jobs if print or communication jobs are found.

Claim 16 (currently amended): : The method according to claim 13, further comprising:

a selection step of selecting a job in the list displayed in said display step in accordance with a user operation~~the display/select step of displaying a list of jobs using identification information of the jobs, and allowing the user to select any of the jobs displayed in the list, and~~

wherein the control step includes the step of, when the stop mode is a third mode, controlling performing a display/select step to display existing jobs and deleting canceling a job selected from the displayed jobs if print or communication jobs are found.

Claim 17 (currently amended): A computer readable storage medium which stores a computer program for making a computer control an image processing apparatus which can parallelly execute a plurality of jobs, comprising:

~~a program code of the instruction step of instructing to stop a job during job execution;~~

a program code of a display step for displaying a list showing plural jobs including a job in execution and a job waiting execution in response to a depression of a stop key by a user;

~~a program code of the display/select a selection step of displaying a list of jobs using identification information of the jobs, and for allowing a user to select any of the jobs displayed in the list displayed in said display step; and~~

~~a program code of the a control step of controlling the display/select step to display a list of all jobs which are being executed for, when the user instructs to stop cancel a selected job in the instruction step, and stopping a job selected from the list in said selection step, canceling the selected job.~~

Claim 18 (currently amended): The medium according to claim 17, wherein the control step includes the step of, when the user instructs to stop a job ~~in the instruction step by depressing the stop key~~, pausing all jobs which are being executed, controlling execution of the display/select step to display a list of all paused jobs, and restarting execution of jobs which are not selected from the list, so as to stop the selected job.

Claim 19 (currently amended): The medium according to claim 17, wherein the control step includes the step of, when the user instructs to stop a job ~~in the instruction step by depressing the stop key~~, checking if only one job is being executed, stopping a job if only one job is being executed, controlling execution of the display/~~select~~ step to display a list of all jobs which are being executed and stopping a job selected from the list if a plurality of jobs are being executed.

Claim 20 (currently amended): The medium according to claim 17, further comprising the appending step of appending arbitrary job information to an input job ~~in addition to the identification information~~.

Claim 21 (currently amended): A computer readable storage medium which stores a computer program for making a computer control an image processing apparatus which can parallelly execute a plurality of jobs, comprising:

~~a program code of the instruction step of instructing to stop a job during job execution;~~

a program code of a display step for displaying a list showing plural jobs including a job in execution and a job waiting execution in response to a depression of a stop key by a user;

~~a program code of the a discrimination step of discriminating a currently set stop mode when a user requests to stop a job in the instruction step by depressing the stop key;~~  
and

a program code of the a control step of stopping a job in accordance with the stop mode discriminated in the discrimination step,

wherein a job selected from the plural jobs displayed in said display step is canceled in said control step.

Claim 22 (original): The medium according to claim 21, wherein the control step includes the step of stopping an image scan job of the plurality of jobs when the stop mode is a first mode.

Claim 23 (currently amended): The medium according to claim 21, further comprising:

the program code of a selection step of selecting a job in the list displayed in said display step in accordance with a user operation~~the display/select step of displaying a list of jobs using identification information of the jobs, and allowing the user to select any of the jobs displayed in the list, and~~

wherein the control step includes the step of, when the stop mode is a second mode, stopping an image scan job if no jobs other than the image scan job are found, controlling execution of the display/select step to display existing jobs if print or communication jobs are found, and deleted cancelling a job selected from the display jobs.

Claim 24 (currently amended): The medium according to claim 21, further comprising:

a program code of a selection step of selecting a job in the list displayed in said display step in accordance with a user operation~~the display/select step of displaying a list of jobs using identification information of the jobs, and allowing the user to select any of the jobs displayed in the list, and~~

wherein the control step includes the step of, when the stop mode is a third mode, controlling execution of the display/~~select~~ step to display existing jobs and ~~deleting~~ cancelling a job selected from the displayed jobs if print or communication jobs are found.

Claim 25-32 (canceled).